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Peter H. Cook, Esq. Summit Associates, Inc. Raritan Plaza II Raritan Center Edison, NJ 08818

Dear Mr. Cook:

This will confirm our conversation this morning regarding Buildings 651 and 652 at Raritan Center in Edison, New Jersey.

It is my understanding that Building 651 was destroyed by fire and that Building 652 has been padlocked by Summit Associates at the direction of the Edison Township Health Department. I understand further that at the request of Summit Associates, Environmental Testing and Certification Inc. (ETC) has already taken two (2) samples at Building 652 and is currently analyzing the samples for the presence of 2,3,7,8-TCDD (dioxin).

Upon receipt of the analyses from ETC, please forward a copy of the results to me. After we review the data, we will determine if any additional testing is necessary.

I would appreciate it if you would send me any information in the possession of Summit Associates concerning the occupancy of Buildings 651 and 652 by the Chemical Insecticide Corporation, Blue Spruce Company, or Mr. Arnold Livingston and any subsequent occupants.

Finally, as we agreed, Summit Associates will take steps to limit access to Building 652 by blockading the road.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Gerard Burke

Office of Regulatory Services

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